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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Senator Saltonstall called again this afternoon and stated that since his calls to the Director earlier in the day, he had talked with Senators Russell, Bridges and Hayden, and Senator Russell made the suggestion that "you write a confidential letter to Senator Hayden saying your number of employees is about such and that you spend in the course of a year about such, and that you have a reserve fund of about such, and let Hayden show it to Dworshak. In other words, you're writing Hayden a confidential letter for his benefit. If he (Hayden) wants to show it to Dworshak, that's his business and not yours. We both believe that it would be most unfortunate to start any discussion on the floor. Henry started it about a year ago as I remember. If you can properly do this, I believe it would be the thing to do. Or, I thought you might come up and see Hayden and just talk with him and give him a few notes instead of writing him a formal letter. Both Russell and I believe it would be wise to do it through Hayden."

Mr. Dulles responded by saying that he would write Senator Hayden a memorandum in general terms.

Senator Saltonstall then said the bill will be coming up this week probably, so this should be done tomorrow, if possible.

The Director said he would get the memorandum to Senator Hayden, and asked if it would be possible then to sit down with Senator Hayden and with Senator Saltonstall. Senator Saltonstall responded by saying he would let Senator Hayden call him if he wanted him. He said "let him send for Russell, Bridges and myself if he wants to." He added as an after-thought "but then he may have to send for Chavez also." The conversation closed by the Director's saying "I'll be ready tomorrow to bring the memorandum up to Senator Hayden."

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